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How Mr. Al. G. Field Found the Writer of "Dixie."

The song of Dixie has attracted a reputation which makes it a national air. The repertoire of no band or orchestra is complete unless it contains this stirring melody. Thousands of people hum and whistle the melody who have never heard the words. There were more claimants to the authorship of this song than any song ever written. Two years ago the press of the country took up the matter.

The Chicago Herald began a thorough investigation. Years before the song became so universally known Daniel Emmett, a noted minstrel, had been credited with its authorship. Until the last ten or twelve years none had disputed this claim. After age and its attending infirmities had relegated Emmett to the shades of private life, the claimants to the authorship of the song of Dixie became more numerous.

The New York Herald devoted several columns in different Sunday issues to statements of those who claimed to be the author of the song. Daniel Emmett was living in retirement on his little farm near Mt. Vernon, Ohio.

Al. G. Field the minstrel manager, carried a copy of the New York Herald to Uncle Dan and read the article, wherein numbers of people claimed the honor of the authorship of the song. A search was made through the chests of music that the aged violinist had been accumulating for nearly sixty years. The musty, faded music of the old song was found. Mr. Field had a photographic copy of the song made and several thousand copies of it lithographed this settled the controversy over the song of Dixie. That Daniel Emmett was its author none can dispute.

COL. HOWARD MENTIONED.

Likely That Mr. Blair Will Head New Hampshire Delegation.

A special dispatch from Washington says:

It has been practically agreed upon among the New Hampshire republicans here to support the Hon. Henry W. Blair, ex-United States senator, as a candidate for delegate at large from New Hampshire to the next national republican convention.

Mr. Blair's service in both houses of congress, his stanch loyalty to the party and his close friendship with President McKinley, make the candidacy an appropriate one, and the support of active republicans throughout the state is expected as a popular expression of respect and regard. No contest is anticipated in the convention, the renomination of President McKinley being predicted by acclamation.

Col. A. F. Howard of Portsmouth is also receiving favorable mention for a position on the ticket as delegate.

STATE NEWS.

Adeline, the 14 year old son of Mr and Mrs. Cyrille Fauquette, who resids at 136 Batchelder street, Laconia, dropped dead on the corner of Bowman and Maine streets Wednesday afternoon about 4 o'clock. He was playing tag with some of his schoolmates, when they saw him suddenly place his hand upon his heart and fell to the ground They summoned aid and he was taken into the residence of Mrs. Louise Kendell and Dr. True summoned. But the boy was dead when he arrived.

As was foretold a number of days ago, the Exeter gaslight company will make a bid to secure the whole or a part of the street lighting contract this year. During the past two years the Rockingham Electric company has furnished the lights, for which $3500 was appropriated. At the coming town meeting it is understood that an effort will be made to cut the appropriation down to $3500, and for this sum the gas company announces that it will illuminate the entire town with Welsbach lights

William M. Todd of Dover, district superintendent of the New England Telephone and telegraph company, was the victim of an electric shock last evening at Somersworth, which nearly caused electrocution.

Jacob Greeley, while felling trees in his wood lot on the Stratham road, lodged a tree in such a way that when it was cut loose it fell upon him, breaking the bones of his right leg in two places.

Charles Hoyt and wife of Barrington, have moved to York, Me., where he has a job as superintendent of a steam sawmill.

TELEGRAPHIC TIPS.

Former Mayor Quincy of Boston sails from New York for Europe.

Candidates for the Harvard baseball team will begin work in the cage next Monday.

The Kansas populists will hold two state conventions.

New York is to have the largest office building in the world.

There were 408 deaths in Bombay Tuesday, an unprecedented number.

The Canadian Pacific railroad is trying to buy land in Newark, N. J, for a terminal.

A new election law is among the probabilities in Kentucky.

There is great improvement in the plague situation in Honolulu.

There is a serious coal famine in part of Russia.

The plague disappears from Oporto and quarantine is raised.

The Yukon railway resumes service after a snow blockade of two weeks.

President Diaz of Mexico is sure of reelection by an immense majority.

The empress dowager of China will probably not depose the emperor just yet, from fear of rousing serious opposition.

Thirty thousand dollars changes hands in New York over a game of pinochle lasting twenty-four hours, between two prominent sporting men.

The cruiser Dixie is at St. Thomas, West Indies, and will stay there nine days.

It is officially denied that any proceedings are going on between Ambassador Choate and Lord Salisbury relative to Alaska.

Three thousand members of the building trades union in Chicago are on a strike.

Small pox creates a scare in New Brunswick and causes strict quarantine.

John Redman of the Irish party makes a warm speech in the house of commons, denouncing the South African war as shameful and declaring that the independence of the South African republic should be recognized.

The Brooklyn baseball team will probably go to Cuba this spring.

AT THE NAVY YARD.

Saturday will be pay day for the yard employes.

The basket ball team had a practice game on Wednesday afternoon.

Work has been resumed on the big electric power and light building.

The condition of Chief Carpenter Markham is reported to be quite serious.

The new smoke pipes for the Raleigh will be fifty-nine feet high from the deck.

The two new officers quarters will be completed and ready for occupancy early in the spring.

The remodeling of the Raleigh will give that ship space for over one hundred additional tons of coal.

John W. Leavitt, who has been appointed a clerk at the Boston navy yard, will no doubt be transferred to this station the present month.

The department of construction and repair has been provided with a sufficient amount of money, and the only thing needed at present is additional work.

The sectional models built at this navy yard of the big battleships have been placed on board the "Prairie" at Baltimore. She is due to sail from there on Thursday.

Successful bidders at the recent sale of condemned stores are now removing their goods. The work of hauling away the big guns from Ordnance park will take some time.

SLIPPED ON THE ICE.

Miss Fannie Pike of State street slipped on the icy pavement on Tuesday, the 6th inst., striking the back of her head. She was assisted to her home and is now under the care of a physician.

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ACROSS THE RIVER

Brief Notes From Kittery Gathered for Herald Readers Today.

Mrs. Charles Bartlett is ill at her home at the foreside.

Mrs. Cora Prince is restricted to her home by illness.

The Ladies' Aid society, connected with the Second Methodist church, met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Martha Hatch and a very pleasant afternoon was passed.

The Epworth League will hold a social in the vestry of the church this evening and the public is cordially invited to be present.

There will be a regular meeting of Olive Branch Commandery, No. 222, Friday evening.

Quite a party from here attended the lecture of Chief Beatswain Hill, U. S. N., in the Meth dist church in Eliot, last evening. Transportation was furnished by Cottle's barge.

At the regular meeting of Whipple Lodge of Good Templars, last evening, the installation of officers occurred.

YORK.

YORK, Me., Feb. 7.

Rev. W. S. Bovard of Portland, a former pastor of the Methodist church will deliver a lecture at the church next Saturday evening. Subject, "Sublime Audacity." Admission, 20 cents. Mr. Bovard will also preach at both the morning and evening services at that church on the following day. Rev. C. C. Whidden will occupy the pulpit of the Congress street church in Portland on that day.

H. Z. Ellis of York Beach returned today from a long visit in Indiana where he went early in the winter to test the famous mud springs. He is reported to be greatly improved in health.

Miss Stewart of Boston came to York today to visit her sister Mary, and will remain the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Evans at York Beach for a few days.

Miss Mae Lidstone of Portsmouth spent last Sunday with Miss Helen Bragdon.

The York library has been well patronized all winter, and the people of York evidently know a good thing when they see it. All the late and popular books are to be found here as well as standard and classic works. Miss Varrell, the librarian reports that among books in greatest demand are "Richard Carvel," "David Harum," "When Knighthood was in Flower." Other late publications are much read but those three still have a long waiting last. Few towns the size of York have so good a library, and as the institution is wholly dependent upon subscriptions, let the people of York see to it that these are sufficient to support this valuable acquisition to every community.

GREENLAND.

GREENLAND, Feb. 8.

The young people of Greenland Grange, No. 195, presented their drama, 'Down East" to one of the largest audiences that has been seen in the town hall for many years. Miss Abbie L. Berry as Betts was a superb little actress and had a very difficult part and executed in a manner that brought expressions of wonder upon the countenances of those present. She received round after round of applause and held the closest attention of her enthusiastic audience from the rising of the curtain to its fall. P. H. Foley as Deacon Perkins and Thornton Weeks as Zeke had two very difficult parts which were carried out in a way that is seldom equalled off the professional stage. After the performance the floor was cleared and by invitation of the Grange master, Charles H. Brackett, the company proceeded to pass away the few remaining hours of their successful event by tripping the light fantastic to the music of Godfrey's orchestra, which rehearsed sweet strains during the evening. The cornet solo, "La Belle Creole" between the second and third acts by Mr. Godfrey was loudly applauded by his hearers. Miss Annie Berry, manager and promoter of the drama should receive the congratulations of the entire town for the way the participants were drilled. Their work showed that Miss Berry must have used lots of time and patience to make the fete a most grand and successful affair, which it certainly was.

Mr. Frank Pickering, we are pleased to announce has found the purse lost by him recently. The purse contained quite a large sum of money.

Thomas Walden was a visitor in Boston yesterday.

Greenland had more visitors within her limits last evening than for a long time.

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POLICE NEWS.

There were the names of seven lodgers on the register kept by Capt Marden at the police station on Wednesday night.

Rosie Armstrong was taken out of the house No. 12 Gates street, at about 9:30, on Wednesday evening, by Officer Murphy, on the complaint of Alexander Hubley. Rosie was locked up at the station on the charge of being drunk and disorderly and was marked for a trial in police court.

There is still considerable bicycle riding about the city.

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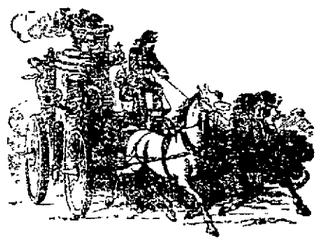

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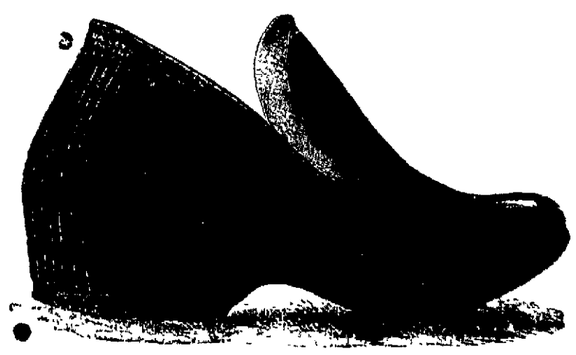

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Compromise In Kentucky Now Awaits His Decision.

A MIDNIGHT CONFERENCE HELD

Nothing Given Out After the Meeting, but It Is Expected Taylor Will Sign Louisville Agreement—Strenuous Objection by Republicans.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 7.—Whether there is to be peace in Kentucky now rests entirely in the hands of Governor William S. Taylor. Everything seems to depend upon his signing or refusing to sign the articles of agreement drawn up at Louisville. Governor Taylor's position is most trying. Republicans here are saying that he has been sold out and that the party has been sold out. Echoes of it are coming in from all over the state. Republicans say that the Republican representatives in the conference allowed themselves to be bamboozled and that they gave in to the Democrats on every proposition that is involved in the controversy.

The full text of the agreement made has not been made public, nor will it be until the governor makes up his mind what he will do about it. The men in the conference pledged themselves to absolute secrecy, but some one violated the pledge and let out a synopsis of the agreement. Presumably the leak was a Democratic one, for the synopsis found its way to the public through Democratic channels. It is admitted that the synopsis is correct, and it is on this synopsis that the Republicans are doing their talking. They say that it would be an act of cowardice for the governor to sign the agreement. They say that while he is governor and may think that he can do as he pleases nevertheless he owes a duty to the people who elected him and practically to give up voluntarily the office now, as is proposed, would be a gross violation of that duty. Republicans from various parts of the state have telegraphed that if he signs the agreement they will never vote a Republican ticket again.

Taylor Will Probably Sign.

On the other hand, the agreement having been signed by the Republicans, headed by Marshall, the lieutenant governor under Taylor, it is felt that if Governor Taylor should refuse to sign it and accept its conditions he would rob himself and his party of all sympathy, and public opinion everywhere would condemn him. In the event of bloodshed any justice that the cause might have would sink out of sight, and he would be in the eyes of the world nothing more nor less than a murderer.

A long conference was held in the office of Governor Taylor last night, those present being, besides Governor Taylor, Colonel Mengel, Colonel Williams, General Collier, Judge Moss and William Sweeney, the latter two attorneys of Governor Taylor. The conference was secret, and none of those engaged in it would consent to talk. They allowed it to be tacitly understood, however, that the position of Governor Taylor was the same as that stated early in the morning—that if a fair and honest election law was given to the state he would not allow any personal ambition of his own to remain in the way of a settlement.

Taylor's Assembly Meets.

London, Ky., Feb. 7.—Not all the Republican members of the Kentucky legislature were present yesterday when the minority of the two houses met in the old Laurel county seminary building in response to Governor Taylor's proclamation. Only 34 representatives and 13 senators responded to the roll calls, and of these Senator Hayes is a Brown Democrat. Lieutenant Governor Marshall was absent. Both houses had most uncomfortable quarters, and in each the proceedings consisted only of prayers, some little speechmaking and election of officers. Representative Burgess Bethum was made speaker of the house, Representative Haswell, the caucus nominee, declining to accept because of opposition. Senator Jolly was elected president pro tem. of the senate. Though neither house had a quorum no attempt was made to get one. While the Republicans all declare their loyalty to Taylor, they are desirous of getting back to Frankfort, or, at least, getting out of London. Several of the Republicans are convinced that this is a "rump" session anyhow.

Covington Honors Goebel.

Covington, Ky., Feb. 7.—Citizens of Kentucky paid honor yesterday to the memory of William Goebel, who formerly represented this district in the state senate. The body lay in state in Odd Fellows' hall during the day and was taken to Frankfort this morning, where the funeral will be held tomorrow. The body was received by a guard of honor consisting of 50 of Senator Goebel's former neighbors. A detail of police led the procession to Odd Fellows' hall, followed by guards of honor, members of the legislature and of the court of appeals and various local organizations. A multitude of citizens who had assembled at the station also fell into line. During the first hour after the arrival of the funeral train only a small portion of the crowd could gain entrance to Odd Fellows' hall, and a steady procession moved past the bier all day.

Honolulu Reports Plague Checked.

Washington, Feb. 7. Surgeon General Walter Wyman said last night that his latest information from Honolulu showed that the plague situation there had greatly improved. "For the purpose of taking adequate measures for preventing the spread of the disease," he said, "another regular officer of the marine hospital service, Dr. Stanford, was sent to Honolulu to assist Dr. Carmichael, the officer stationed there. The city of Honolulu is assisting these officers in every possible way and has appropriated $118,000, the expenditure of which was approved by the secretary of state, for the erection of a filtration plant to insure a pure water supply. The city has also made arrangements for the construction of a new drainage system, which will naturally improve the health conditions."

Fire In Little Rock.

Little Rock, Feb. 7.—Fire last night destroyed business property and stock valued at $265,000. The blaze started in the third story of the building at Third and Main streets occupied by the P. Quinn Dry Goods company and spread with such great rapidity that the entire stock of goods, filling three stories, was entirely consumed. The flames communicated to the adjoining shoe store of Ike Kempner and destroyed the contents.

THE DAY IN CONGRESS.

House Continues Debate on Philippine Question.

Washington, Feb. 7.—The Philippine question again occupied the attention of the house yesterday, with a slight digression concerning the war in South Africa. The feature of the debate was the speech of Mr. Williams of Mississippi, who presented an argument against the annexation of the Philippines which attracted much attention. It was devoted almost entirely to the commercial aspects of the acquisition, holding that the absorption of the islands would be ultimately ruinous to the American producers of cotton, rice, tobacco, hemp and sugar. Mr. Morris of Minnesota made an exhaustive legal argument in support of the right to hold and govern the islands. The other speakers were Messrs. Gibson of Tennessee, W. A. and H. C. Smith of Michigan, Cochran of Missouri and Neville of Nebraska. The general debate on the diplomatic bill closed, and today will be taken up for amendment under the five minute rule.

Until the financial measure now pending before the senate shall have been disposed of finally it will be considered by the senate every legislative day to the exclusion of all except purely routine business. This agreement will have the effect of cutting off all debate on the Philippine question or other matters except by unanimous consent of the senate, unless senators choose to discuss other questions in the time they devote to the financial bill. Mr. Caffery of Louisiana concluded his speech on the Philippine question, holding that the United States ought to restore in the islands the status quo and then confer independence upon the Filipinos. Mr. Butler of North Carolina discussed at length the proposed amendment to the constitution of North Carolina in answer to speeches delivered by Senators Morgan, McEnery and Money.

Honor to Lawton's Memory.

Indianapolis, Feb. 7.—The remains of Major General Lawton reached this city from Fort Wayne, and the coffin was transferred from the funeral car to the rotunda of the state capitol. The procession that attended the remains was made up of state, county and city officials and several military companies. Thousands of people, brought from all parts of the state by excursion trains, lined the streets. The statehouse and the down town business buildings were draped with flags and black bunting. After the coffin had been placed upon a catafalque in the rotunda the doors were thrown open to the public and for several hours there was a stream of people passing through the building. The casket was not opened. Mrs. Lawton was in one of the upper corridors of the capitol when the crowd was admitted, but was so much affected that she soon left the building. Another affecting scene was enacted when Mrs. Caroline Huffner presented Mrs. Lawton with a pillow that she had loaned to the general when he was sick during the civil war and which he returned to her after using it three months.

Ludlow to See the President.

Havana, Feb. 7.—The conflict between Civil Governor Nunez and General Ludlow on the question of authority in civil matters in the city of Havana promises to be amicably settled by a movement which Governor General Wood has in view of turning the military departments over to the municipality and the early retirement of General Ludlow from Cuban affairs. General Ludlow leaves on Saturday for a consultation with President McKinley, and it is said in official circles that he will probably return. The Nunez-Ludlow difficulty caused quite a squall to loom up on the political horizon. The newspapers are unanimous in sustaining General Nunez. The question has already been argued as a test of whether the United States intends to keep the promise of giving independence to Cuba. A decision against the stand taken by General Nunez would awaken suspicions which would be difficult to overcome.

Feud Murder Trial at London, Ky.

London, Ky., Feb. 7.—The trial of James Howard for the killing of George W. Baker has been called here. This is an echo of the Baker-Howard feud in Clay county, and the legislators here are much interested in the case. Howard, at his first trial, was convicted, but got a new trial, in which the jury disagreed. There will be from 30 to 50 witnesses on each side. Many of the witnesses are strong partisans of one or the other side in the feud and have come to town heavily armed. The attorneys declare that trouble is liable to result at any time when a lot of feudists get together armed, but the presence of state troops is expected to prevent trouble. Baker, who was the father of Tom Baker, the feud leader, was killed on the evening that Ball Howard was shot from ambush, and his son, Wilson Howard, and Burch Stores, a friend, were killed.

Expenses of New Naval Stations.

Washington, Feb. 7.—The secretary of the navy has sent to congress a deficiency estimate of $838,200 to meet increased expenditures incident to the establishment of naval stations outside of the United States. Of this sum the main items are: Emergency fund, $250,000; yards and docks, $110,000; coal barges at Manila, $150,000, construction and repair, $220,000. Another estimate of $1,022,000 is made for the regular naval bill, including $500,000 emergency fund, $220,000 for yards and docks, $300,000 for equipments at Cavite and $500,000 for construction and repair.

Censure For St. Louis Police.

St. Louis, Feb. 7. Judge Fisher in the criminal branch of the circuit court in delivering his instructions to the February grand jury called attention to the charges of fraud in municipal affairs and the alleged inefficiency of the police force in suppressing crime. He advised the grand jury to arraign all persons who have any knowledge concerning the fraud charges and institute a thorough inquiry into the matter and closed by saying the public was entitled to have efficient men in the police department to suppress crime.

Democratic National Convention.

Chicago, Feb. 7. The Chronicle says: "According to advices received at the Democratic national headquarters there is a strong disposition among some of the leaders of the party, including William J. Bryan, to settle upon June 6 as the date for the national Democratic convention."

Governor Tanner Seriously Ill.

Springfield, Ills., Feb. 7. Governor Tanner is confined to his bed at the executive mansion with a serious attack of stomach trouble, and all visitors are denied.

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TALK OF MEDIATION.

United States May Take Advantage of Hague Treaty.

New York, Feb. 7.—The Times' Washington correspondent says:

"It is learned that under the terms of The Hague treaty, which has been ratified by the senate, an effort will be made before long to exert such offices as may properly be extended to the belligerents to bring about a termination of the war in South Africa. Before this treaty was adopted it was maintained that the United States could not without exposing this government to the suspicion of unfriendly motives venture to suggest the use of good offices to both parties to the war.

"Even now there may be some hesitation about declaring, by advances made even with the best intentions, that the Transvaal is or is not a vassal state, but it is beginning to be appreciated here that the sympathy for the Boers is widespread and increasing and that it may not be wise to defer too long the offer of friendly intervention to save life on both sides.

"It has been discovered here that, while there is no loss of appreciation of the attitude of Great Britain toward the United States during the war with Spain and a strong inclination to let the British go on and settle their own difficulties in their own way, there is making for the Boers a strong feeling of sympathy because they have at least a nominal republic.

"On the Republican side the feeling is not so strong as it is on the Democratic side, where almost every man is a Boer sympathizer. This situation undoubtedly arises from a desire on the part of the Republicans to avoid pressing a course that will conflict with Mr. McKinley's policy. The Democrats may take advantage of this knowledge to press the Boer side in order to embarrass the administration."

A CIVIL COMMISSION.

Judge Taft Will Go to the Philippines.

Washington, Feb. 7.—William H. Taft of Cincinnati, judge of the United States circuit court, has resigned to be appointed chairman of the commission that will be sent to the Philippines to establish civil government.

The appointment of Judge Taft marks the first selection for the new Philippine commission. There will be five members on the commission, and all of them will be civilians. Mr. Schurman, president of the existing commission, has declined for business reasons to remain on the commission, so Judge Taft will be president in his place. Mr. Denby and Professor Worcester have been invited to accept reappointments, but so far have not signified their intentions. Admiral Dewey will not go back to Manila, and General Otis will give way, like him, to a civilian. Secretary Root said that no instructions had been framed for the new commission as yet, but it would be easy to perceive from the sentiments set out in the president's message what these instructions would be.

The prevalent impression is that as soon as the commission shall have succeeded in replacing the existing military government in the Philippines with stable civil government Judge Taft will be named as the first civil governor general of the archipelago. It is not thought that this change will take place at once, but the commission is expected to move steadily toward that object and to set up local civil governments as fast as the Filipinos shall demonstrate their worthiness.

Scene In Spanish Cortes.

Madrid, Feb. 7. Count Almenas, who insists that the responsibility shall be brought home to those to whom Spain's defeats in the Spanish-American war were due, created a scene in the senate yesterday by asking if it were true that a conspiracy existed among the generals to prevent light from being thrown upon all the circumstances of the war. Lieutenant General Azcarraga, minister of war, replied that the attitude alleged to have been adopted by the generals did not exist. He protested against "the campaign against the prestige of the army." Count Almenas retorted, "I am not satisfied with these declarations. There were unworthy generals, as there was an infamous government, who led Spain to dishonor." A great uproar ensued, amid which the president called upon Count Almenas to withdraw his statement. The count refused, and the excitement increased.

Rev. John Kennedy Dead.

London, Feb. 7. The Rev. John Kennedy, former chairman of the Congregational Union of England and Wales and professor of apologetics at New college, London, died yesterday in his eighty seventh year. Dr. Kennedy was born in Alnwick, Berkshire, June 11, 1813. He had been a director of the London Missionary society since 1843 and was chairman of its examining committee from 1882 to 1893. He was on the original committee of the East London Children's hospital. From 1857 to 1890 he edited The Evangelical Magazine. Among his numerous publications are "The Natural History of Man," "Handbook of Christian Evidences," "The Self Revelation of Jesus Christ" and "Old Testament Criticism and the Rights of Nonexperts."

Soldier Becomes a Priest.

Notre Dame, Ind., Feb. 7.—General W. A. Olmstead, a veteran of the civil war, has been ordained a deacon in the Church of the Sacred Heart at Notre Dame, and tomorrow he will receive holy orders and become a priest of the congregation of the Holy Cross. The ceremony of ordination will be conducted by Bishop O'Gorman. General Olmstead was mustered out of the army at the close of the civil war with the rank of brevet brigadier general. He had entered the service as captain in the Second New York infantry and rose to the rank of colonel of the Fifty-ninth New York volunteers. As brigadier general he commanded the First brigade, Third division of the Second army corps. At the conclusion of the war he studied medicine and served a number of years as army surgeon. The general came to Notre Dame six years ago and entered the seminary. He is past commander of the Notre Dame post of the Grand Army of the Republic and a member of the Loyal Legion.

Machias Sent to Venezuela.

Washington, Feb. 7.—Disturbing events in Venezuela, reported to the state department by Minister Loomis, are responsible for the dispatch of the gunboat Machias by Rear Admiral Farquhar to the Venezuelan port of Puerto Cabello. According to the department's information, General Hernandez has not given up his struggle to gain the presidency of Venezuela. With a considerable following he is making preparations to renew the war with General Castro, and it is expected that a conflict will soon occur. The Machias will remain in Venezuelan waters until foreign interests can be protected by the local government. The authorities have been informed that a disturbing condition of affairs also exists in Santo Domingo. As soon as the Machias can be relieved from duty in Venezuelan waters she will be ordered to proceed to Santo Domingo.

A Bomb In Paris.

Paris, Feb. 7.—A bomb with the fuse lighted was found by a policeman late on Monday night on the exterior window ledge of the house 132 Boulevard Haussmann. The ground floor flat where the bomb was found is inhabited by M. Paul de Cassagnac, the well known Bonapartist editor of the Autorite. The policeman could not reach the bomb, but managed by climbing up to knock it down to the sidewalk. Here he extinguished the fuse. The bomb was subsequently examined in the municipal laboratory and found to be a dangerous one, and, though its exploding would not have occasioned very serious damage to the building, it might have killed people passing in the street. The motive for the placing of the bomb is not clear. M. de Cassagnac opines it is because he is a property owner.

Filipinos Attack Niac.

Manila, Feb. 7.—The insurgents yesterday attacked the First battalion of the Forty-fifth infantry near Niac. A major and a captain were wounded and one sergeant killed, but details of the engagement are lacking. Ships arriving from Legaspi report that the insurgent general Pana concentrated a large force about the town and made a sharp night attack on Major Shipton's battalion of the Forty seventh infantry, which occupied a large convent as a fort. One battalion and a battery have sailed as reenforcements for Shipton. The casualties are unknown. A corporal and four men while patrolling the railroad near Mabalacat recently disappeared and are supposed to have been captured. A searching party looking for them was ambushed and a corporal killed.

BRIEF NEWS NOTES.

The Lawton fund has reached $98,051.

For the first time in months Havana is clear of yellow fever.

Five thousand men are on strike in the cigar factories of Havana.

The depositors of the Broadway National bank of Boston, which closed several weeks ago, have received the full amount of their deposits, with interest.

The Liberal national convention in the City of Mexico ordered a count of the votes cast at the plebiscite to choose a candidate for president. President Diaz was said to have a large majority.

Howard C. Benham, the Batavia man convicted of murdering his wife, will have a new trial. Justice Hooker, who heard the arguments on the motion for a new trial in the special term of the supreme court last December, has decided to grant the motion.

The war department gives out the cabled statement that the total receipts of the Philippine Islands for the month of January were $557,308. The receipts were derived from the following: Customs, $420,300, internal revenue, $97,000, miscellaneous, $39,808.50.

Schoolgirl Killed by Train.

Newburg, N. Y., Feb. 7. Mabel Cox, aged 13, a schoolgirl, was struck and killed on the West Shore railroad track at Cornwall. She was crossing the track to go skating on the Hudson.

Weather Forecast.

Rain or snow and colder; variable winds.

THE BULLER MYSTERY.

Message From Ladysmith Gives a Little Light.

COMMONS UPHOLDS THE CABINET.

Great Majority on Side of the Government—York Election Won by Overwhelming Unionist Vote—Rumors From Cape Town.

London, Feb. 7.—Lord Roberts' customary phrase, "No change in the situation today," which alternates with the censor's "The situation is unchanged," was posted earlier than usual at the war office yesterday.

The only occupants of the war office lobby at about 5 o'clock last evening were two brawny constables, who had removed their helmets and were standing surveying with contented gaze the blank bulletin board and empty room. At 11 o'clock the conditions were the same.

Absolutely no news of importance from the seat of war was allowed to reach London yesterday.

What General Buller is doing is a sealed mystery, but a hint is given in a telegram from Ladysmith of Saturday's date via Estcourt, which states that the Boers were evidently in a state of alarm to the east of the besieged city, evidently expecting an attack.

In the north of Cape Colony, while there is no fresh intelligence, there is no doubt that General Gatacre is about to begin some hard fighting and make a movement simultaneously with Generals French, Kelly-Kenny and Brabant.

As to home affairs, the decisive vote on the amendment to the reply of the queen's speech in favor of the government in the house of commons last night and the result of the York parliamentary election, where a Unionist was elected by an overwhelming majority to succeed Lord Charles Beresford, are taken to indicate that the country is standing behind Lord Salisbury's cabinet and will continue to do so until the war is brought to a successful conclusion.

British Home Problems.

London, Feb. 7.—Spenser Wilkinson, in The Morning Post, discusses the problem of arming the nation at home. He says:

"There is now such intense and widespread interest in the army and its management that the nation has itself to thank if the solving of the problem should not be the history of the next few months."

He proceeds to argue that "conscription would be valueless unless the general management of the army were first remodeled." On this point he says:

"A war office that for 30 years has not known what to do with the volunteers would not know what to do with half a million conscripts."

Mr. Wilkinson also discusses the use of the bayonet, remarking:

"This weapon very seldom comes into actual use. Its effect is on the spirits of both sides rather than on the bodies of either. The British, by using formations fit for charging, but not for shooting, have lost ten times as many men as the Boers have lost by British bayonets."

Boers Invisible at Colenso.

London, Feb. 7.—Captain Walter Congreve, who received the Victoria cross for gallantry in endeavoring to save the British guns at Colenso, writes:

"I never saw a Boer all day, and I do not think any one else did. Thousands of bullets pattered and shells burst all over the place, but the Boers were invisible."

Boers Try to Escape.

Cape Town, Feb. 7.—Five Boer prisoners at Simonstown tried to escape Monday night. They had firearms and wounded a prison warden. Two of the fugitives were wounded, and all were recaptured.

The Transvaal War Tax.

London, Feb. 7.—The Transvaal special war tax of 2s. 6d. per acre affects 3,000,000 acres of English owned land, a part of which is not worth more than the tax.

Mr. Hay Received at Pretoria.

Pretoria, Feb. 7.—Adelbert S. Hay, the new United States consul here, has been received by the Transvaal government. He created an excellent impression.

Indian Gives 100,000 Rupees.

Calcutta, Feb. 7.—The maharajah of Jaipur has made a donation of 100,000 rupees to the South Africa war fund.

Heavy Artillery Militia Regiment.

New York, Feb. 7.—Major General Charles F. Roe, commander of the militia, has gone to Albany to confer with Governor Roosevelt regarding the plan to make the Thirteenth regiment the First regiment of heavy artillery of the state of New York. Governor Roosevelt has already given his approval to the plan and it is expected will make that approval official immediately. Details of the conversion will include a change of names, uniform and the standard of qualification for officers. A school of instruction under regular army officers, it is believed, will be established, and the seacoast forts will take the place of the Peekskill camp for field duty.

They Want Their Money Back.

Colorado Springs, Feb. 7.—Forty-nine insurance companies have brought suit against E. Barnet, proprietor of the Antlers hotel, which burned some months ago, and the Denver and Rio Grande Railway company to recover $21,000, the amount of insurance paid on account of the Antlers fire. It is alleged the fire originated from a spark from one of the railway company's engines and was the result of negligence on the part of the company in allowing combustibles to be kept near the tracks. Lack of care on Barnet's part is also charged.

Relief For Doukhobors.

San Francisco, Feb. 7.—A movement has begun in Oakland and Berkeley to send relief to the Doukhobor colonies in Manitoba, who are suffering for food. The Doukhobors are represented as thrifty people, greatly attached to their religious belief, which resembles that of the Quakers. They will not bear arms and were driven out of Russia by the compulsory military service. Many contributions of cash and dried fruits have been received by the committee in charge of the relief fund.

Direct Cable to Germany.

Berlin, Feb. 7.—The German direct cable from Emden to New York by way of the Azores will be laid by a London company. It will cost £985,000. The cable will be 4,336 miles long.

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The said Board will be in session at the same place on March 13th, 1900, from 8 A. M. to 12 M. and 1 P. M. to 4 P. M., for the purpose of granting certificates to those legal voters whose names are omitted from the Lists.

Voters must bear in mind that it is their personal duty to see that their names are on the Lists by presenting themselves at some meeting of the Board. This clause will be strictly enforced.

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Defense In Molineux Trial Rests on State's Case.

CORNISH BITTERLY ATTACKED.

Counsel For Defendant In His Address to the Jury Practically Accuses Osborne's Chief Witness of Having Committed the Murder.

New York, Feb. 7.—The unexpected has happened in the trial of Roland B. Molineux for the murder of Mrs. Katharine J. Adams, and the defense has rested upon the case made by the prosecution without the examination of a single witness. This explains the statement made by Handwriting Expert Carvalho a month ago to the effect that he would not go upon the witness stand for the purpose of refuting the expert evidence regarding handwriting given by the witnesses for the state. The announcement by Bartow S. Weeks, the attorney for the defense, that no additional evidence would be introduced disappointed the large crowd that had gathered at the courtroom, hoping that both Molineux and his wife would be called for the purpose of making clear certain obscurities and discrepancies between the testimony of Molineux at the time of the coroner's inquest and the evidence introduced by the prosecution during the past two months.

General E. L. Molineux, Mrs. E. L. Molineux and Mrs. Blanche Chesebrough Molineux, the father, the mother and the wife of the defendant, were all in the courtroom and listened intently to the arguments advanced by Mr. Weeks. The defendant appeared the same cool, calm and collected individual that he has seemed from the very beginning of the trial. After a number of motions, in which Mr. Weeks asked the court to strike out certain testimony introduced by the state, most of which motions were denied by Recorder Goff, the attorney for the defense proceeded with an analysis of the evidence already introduced and now before the court. Perhaps the most important, the most sensational and the most telling thrusts were made when Mr. Weeks referred to Harry S. Cornish.

Insinuations Against Cornish.

The attorney for the defendant appeared willing to take up the challenge thrown down by the assistant district attorney in his inferential inquiries of, "If Molineux didn't do it, who did?" Mr. Weeks pointed out that it had been proved that Cornish passed the general postoffice on the Broadway side at 3:30 p. m. on the day when the poison package is alleged to have been sent to his address at the Knickerbocker Aathletic club. He called attention to the fact that the silver bottle holder exactly matched the silver toilet articles on the dressing table in the rooms of Mrs. Rogers, the daughter of the dead woman, the rooms where Cornish resided.

He also brought out the point that there had been no medical attendance for Cornish, though the physical director of the Knickerbocker Athletic club claimed to have swallowed portions of the poison which killed Mrs. Adams. Captain McClusky's statement to Cornish after hearing his story, "Well, you have got to find the man who sent that poison package to you," was taken as the text for another attack upon that individual. During the afternoon he called attention to the fact that Cornish in making a copy of the Harpster letter in court had misspelled Harpster in the identical way in which it was misspelled in the original Harpster letter. He also attacked in the severest terms the handwriting experts and the proprietors of the private letter boxes.

A few minutes before 5 o'clock Mr. Weeks asked for an adjournment, explaining that his voice was giving out. This was granted, Mr. Weeks saying that he would probably require all of tomorrow to complete his summing up.

South Carolina Dispensary.

Columbia, N. C., Feb. 7.—The state board of liquor control will be abolished and the management of the dispensary radically changed by the senate bill to provide a new system of dispensary control, which passed the house yesterday. The vote in the house was 77 to 24 in favor of abolishing the board. The governor will approve the act. The bill provides that three directors of unquestioned character are to be selected for a term of two years, instead of five years as at present. The commissioner or superintendent elected by the board heretofore is to be elected by the general assembly and given power to appoint employees, a right denied him now. He is to receive a salary of $3,000 per annum.

Smallpox In Toronto.

Toronto, Feb. 7.—Nine cases of smallpox have been discovered at Toronto Junction, just outside of this city. They have been progressing for some time and were thought to be chickenpox until last night, when the provincial medical health officer took them in hand. Five of the cases are in a boarding house where railway employees live, while in other instances children from the houses containing the disease are attending the public schools. All the houses have been strictly quarantined, special constables being sworn in, while vaccination has been put in force among all who have been exposed.

More Trouble For "Young Griffo."

Chicago, Feb. 7.—Albert Griffiths, better known as "Young Griffo," the pugilist, is a prisoner at the police station. He was arrested for creating a disturbance. An effort is being made by his friends and the police to send him to Australia, whence he came several years ago. Last summer, when he was thought to be slightly demented, he was sent to Dunning, where he was cared for until two months ago, when he was pronounced well and was released.

Farmer Shoots His Neighbor.

Bolivar, N. Y., Feb. 7.—At Ceres, on the Pennsylvania line, Frank Peters shot and seriously wounded Peter Flannigan. The men are farmers, and the shooting was the result of a trivial quarrel over the location of a highway. Peters has made no attempt to escape and has not yet been arrested.

Fourth Class Postmasters.

Washington, Feb. 7.—The following fourth class postmasters have been appointed:

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Of pearled tears? Oft she smiles a space
And after weeps, yet in each mood doth win
Such added beauty that it were a sin
It were not chronicled. How shall I place
On record all the graciousness of soul
That thrills one through those homes of innocence,
Her lustrous veiled eyes, or bring the whole
Of bosom's curve, cheeks carmine to the sense?
And were this done, indeed, her queenly air
I could not fix; the task is my despair.

—Antony Clark in Pall Mall Magazine.

PREACHERS' SORE THROAT.

Pulpit Speakers Are Not the Only Sufferers From It.

"The late Colonel Ingersoll frequently gained applause during his lectures by referring to the fact that there was such a thing recognized in the standard medical books as 'preachers' sore throat,' but that no one had ever heard of an auctioneer's sore throat," observed a popular voice builder to a reporter, "and while Colonel Ingersoll probably was entitled to the point he wanted to illustrate he was somewhat off when he insisted on the point.

"'Preachers' sore throat' is recognized by all writers on throat diseases, but it is not necessarily confined to preachers. Lawyers—I mean court advocates—and others who overtax their voice at times suffer from it as frequently as do preachers. One of the answers to Colonel Ingersoll would be that the books did not include singers' sore throat either.

"The fact of the matter is that auctioneers do not have sore throat. A successful auctioneer, as far as his voice is concerned, is provided naturally with abnormally strong vocal chords. These he strengthens by continual use, so that in a few years the voice and throat are the strongest parts of him. He is as liable, however, as others to suffer from other troubles and has his share of them too. It is the same way with a singer. His voice is generally the strongest part of him, and almost every other organ suffers before his throat does. The public does not know how many there are who try auctioneering and who find that they cannot hold out. The voice of every man is not suited for continuous work. Auctioneer work means several hours of constant vocal exercise each day.

"The reason the preacher's throat goes back on him now and then, and it does, is that his use of the vocal chords is not constant, for ordinarily the greater effort is seldom more than once a week. Another thing that operates against the preachers and in favor of the auctioneer is that the preacher seldom speaks in the open air, while the auctioneer finds the most use for his voice in the open air. Open air is the most wonderful strengthener of the voice. A marked example of this is the fact that circus performers and circus followers generally, who work in tents and open air, never have sore throats."—Washington Star.

Bargain Counter Repartee.

It was at a department store bargain counter for odds and ends. The crush was terrific. Women squeezed and elbowed and shoved to get alongside the counter. Frequently two of them happened to pick up the same bargain at one and the same time, and then they both retained their clutch on it and looked daggers at each other until the stronger of the two won the victory or the bargain was rent into ribbons.

A haughty matron picked up a box containing three cakes of imported soap for 8 cents at the same moment that a humble looking little woman in a faded tan coat had fastened her grasp on the box.

"I believe I was the first to take hold of this," said the matron in the electric seal coat, freezingly.

The humble looking little woman held on for a minute, studying her antagonist, then she slowly relaxed her hold on the box.

"Well, you can have it," she said amiably. "You look as if you need the soap."—Washington Post.

Thumb Nail Drawings.

In collections centuries old, to be seen in both China and Japan, are specimens of the most remarkable drawings in the world, pictures of all kinds drawn with the thumb nail. The nails of the thumb on the left hand of the artists of these are allowed to grow to an enormous length, sometimes to a foot or 18 inches, and are then pared down to a pen shaped point.

Dipping this oddly constructed pen in a beautiful vermilion or sky blue ink, the only kinds of ink used in these sacred thumb nail drawings, the artist gracefully outlines his work. Occasionally the bold touches from the studio of a master in this department of "high art" are life size and are sketched by a few sweeps of the artist's arm. Like other pictures and sketches of the orient, these sacred thumb nail pictures are mounted and rolled up like scrolls.

Absurd!

The American—You do things queerly in Scotland. Now, in Edinburgh you number the houses on a street up one side and down the other.

Briton—How do you do it in America?

The American—Why, we give the houses alternate numbers, the odd numbers on one side of the way and the even numbers on the other.

The Briton (after a pause)—Haw, haw, haw! Ha-ha! Haw-haw!

The American—What is the matter?

The Briton—Why—that's the most—ha-ha—absurd system I ever heard of in my life!

The American—How so?

The Briton—Think how ridiculous it would be to have to go across the street to speak to your next door neighbor!—New York Press.

One loses his breath by running and catches it quickest by standing still.—Elliott's Magazine.

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THURSDAY, FEB. 8, 1900.

At all events, it is perfectly clear that The Hague treaty doesn't count in old Kentucky.

Kentucky now has a second state capital, but there is no reason for regarding Kentucky as a capital state.

A descendant of the Earl of Avis has volunteered to go to South Africa and show how fields are won. He must be a bird.

Within a few months England will have more than 600 warships in commission. Any continental power looking for trouble?

Representative Fitzgerald, of Massachusetts, says the lobster is rapidly disappearing. Yet the fact remains that Pettigrew is with us still.

One of the Georgia judges is trying to enforce the state law against carrying concealed weapons. It must be that he is not a candidate for re election.

Oom Paul is not under the impression that the time is near when he and Osman Digna will exchange stories as permanent boarders at St. Helena.

Taylor received a plurality of votes in Kentucky and is the people's choice for governor. Nothing can disturb this fact nor destroy its lasting significance.

Should the Boers dam the river running through Ladysmith in order to drown out the town, the garrison may go to work and build a navy, which is Mr. Bull's strong point.

Wireless telegraphy is to be used on the boats plying between Dover and Calais. But in crossing the channel, who wants a land message inquiring "How do you feel now?"

An anti-McLean democracy is again making some noise in Ohio. It appears periodically, but melts like a mist when the McLean bar'l begins to shed its effulgence for another round.

England is the owner of four submarine cables to Africa and the Orient. If the quality of the news was only equal to Mr Bull's exclusive facilities for getting it, how happy he would be.

Though time is running along, the democratic party can neither get rid of old issues nor find a new one. Unless a change should come the second battle will be a weak repetition of the first.

Gov. Jones, of Arkansas, says he is for expansion and that a majority of the democrats of the state are with him on this subject. The growth of expansion sentiment in the south is general from Virginia to Texas.

Pettigrew, Hoar, Mason and Tillman are exerting themselves to fill the ample pages of the Congressional Record without assistance. They are trying to prove that their conduct has been patriotic and naturally need oceans of space.

One of the Grand Army posts in Indiana has offered its entire membership to Great Britain for service in South Africa. It is to be hoped that the veterans making this offer are aware that its acceptance would cancel all pensions now paid to them by this government.

A VOICE FROM THE MUD BANKS.

Portsmouth (N. H.) has high hopes that it is to be made an ocean seaport and the Atlantic terminal for a great transcontinental line. Portsmouth will please go to sleep again. Let her be satisfied with her brewery and her past. —Charlestown News.

HARD FIGHTING

Buller Engages The Boers North Of The Tugela.

He Finds It a Very Prickly Road To Ladysmith.

BRITISH ADVANCE CHECKED BY AN ENFILADING FIRE.

SPEARMAN'S CAMP, Feb. 7, 6.00 P. M.—General Buller commenced his forward movement toward Ladysmith on Monday morning. The naval guns opened at seven o'clock and at the same time a flank attack was started on the enemy in front. Three battalions were despatched toward the Drakfontein with six batteries. At eleven o'clock the Boers opened with their artillery. Several shells fell among the British infantry, who retired. An attack was then inaugurated upon the extreme right, where the engineers constructed a position. Several cannon concealed among the trees bombarded heavily, while the infantry advanced. The Boers were completely surprised. By four o'clock a high hill (a continuation of the Drakfontein) had been captured. The operations were excellently planned. The name of the hill is the Krantz Kloof. The bombardment of the Boers was resumed this (yesterday?) morning. The Boers worked their disappearing guns on the Doorn Kloof on the right, but some shells from the British guns put them out of action until late in the afternoon. The musketry fire was intermittent far into the afternoon, when the Boers made a desperate attempt to retake the hill. Reinforcements came running up cheering. The assault was beaten back.

British Lost Heavily.

LADYSMITH, Feb. 6.—Reports received of the fight on the upper Tugela yesterday show that the British lost heavily at Pont Drift, but maintained their position at Molen Drift. The Boers had four killed. The British casualties are unknown. The big guns have stopped firing.

London Excited.

LONDON, Feb. 7.—When the despatches telling of the fight on the upper Tugela were made public today there was the usual scene of excitement on the streets. In the house of commons, in addition to the war office's announcement of Buller's crossing of the river and advance to the relief of Ladysmith, a news agency posted a bulletin saying that one hundred more ambulance stretchers had been forwarded to the front from Durban.

Sharp Fighting At Starkstroom.

CAPE TOWN, Feb. 7.—Sharp fighting began this morning at Starkstroom and is now in progress. No details have been received.

Boers Check Buller.

LONDON, Feb. 7.—A special from Spearman's Camp on Wednesday says: "Our further advance is prevented for the present, because the Boers enfilade us from Spion Kop and Doorn Kloof. Our losses, while reckoned at 250, are very trifling considering the great importance of the movement just begun."

DEFRAUDING THROUGH THE MAILS.

NASHUA, N. H., Feb. 7.—Miss Helena Franklin Jones, who says she lives in Brooklyn, was arrested at Antrim today on the charge of defrauding through the mails. She was brought here and pleaded not guilty before United States Commissioner Parker. She was held in $1500 bail. It is charged that an advertisement was placed in various publications that the Brookside Supply company would furnish musical charts and other articles for a small price, also one saying that the North Branch Soap company would send silk and other useful articles for a small sum. It is alleged that from 500 to 1000 letters in answer to these advertisements were received per day and that the letters were taken from the Antrim and North Branch postoffices by Miss Jones and forwarded to Brooklyn, to the managers of the two concerns, which the authorities aver never existed. It is claimed that in all 2700 letters have been received, containing from ten cents to one dollar each. The business, so the authorities say, has been going on for several months, and they estimate that $50 000 has been made by it. Miss Jones is prepossessing and well dressed, and is about thirty-five years of age. She strongly protests her innocence.

BROKE UP PEACE MEETING.

SOUTHAMPTON, ENG., Feb 7. The announcement that Henri Labouchere, editor of "Truth," and liberal member of parliament, would address a peace meeting here tonight, called out a large crowd of opponents, who charged the stage and smashed the chairs. The arrival of the speaker was the signal of a fresh outbreak. The promoters of the meeting were forced from the platform by the crowd and chairs were hurled into the body of the house amid cries of "God save the queen." Mr. Labouchere was hit in the head, but not seriously hurt. The police escorted him from the hall. A number of others were injured. After the speaker had left the opponents of the meeting made the declaration that Southampton had joined York City in repudiating the critics of the government.

PETTIGREW PERFORMS AGAIN.

WASHINGTON, Feb 7.—A sharp tilt between Mr. Depew and Mr. Pettigrew was an unexpected incident in the senate early today. Mr. Depew read a letter from President Sherman of the Philippine commission, contradicting flatly statements made by Mr. Pettigrew in the senate a number of days ago concerning the manifestoes of Aguinaldo. Then Mr. Depew took Mr. Pettigrew to task for having brought such men as President Sherman and Admiral Dewey into a controversy where their word was put against that of such a man as Aguinaldo. Pettigrew replied in his usual vein.

DIPLOMATIC AND CONSULAR BILL.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—The house today finished with the diplomatic and consular bill, passing it just as it came from the committee. The diplomatic appropriation is $1,743,008.

STEAMER LIBELLED.

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—The steamer Herman Winter was libelled today in the sum of $184,105 for running down and sinking in Vineyard sound on June 23d the British steamer Ardandhu.

ADVICE TO JOHN BULL.

We seize this opportunity to offer a few words of advice to John Bull. We are not unfriendly toward him—on the contrary, we think a great deal of John. If we did not think a great deal of him we would not spend time in trying to show him the error of his ways, but would abandon him to his course, knowing full well that the end is death. Thus it is that we once more offer him a few words of friendly advice and counsel. We beseech John to heed the following:

Be sure you're right, then wait for reenforcements.

In cases of doubt, fall back.

Don't check your baggage to a terminal until you are sure the road is open

Don't brag until sure of an adequate supply to holdfast.

It is better to have sand in the soldier than gold lace on him.

A Boer in hand is worth a whole trainload of strategy.

Never look a gift kopje in the perimeter.

A victory by cable is like a kiss by telephone.

It is a waste of ammunition to shell a shadow.

Rubber before you advance.

If outlanders entice thee, pause and reflect.

We commend these remarks to the earnest consideration of our good friend John Bull. We have forgiven him all his past attempts to throw us down and remember only that when we engaged in a war with Spain he offered to hold our coat when he saw that we had no intention or need of taking it off. If he will heed this advice he will not soon again be placed in such a humiliating position as he now occupies—Omaha World Herald.

A SPLENDID SHOWING.

The annual report of the commissioners of Massachusetts savings banks for year ending October 31st, 1899, shows a large gain in deposits over previous year. Based upon this report the Wildey Savings bank of Boston has issued its annual comparative statement of Massachusetts Savings Banks, showing "gross and net gains in deposits" also percentage of gain, dividend rate, etc., which is a concise and comprehensive issue that that institution made the largest net gain in deposits and percentage of gain during the year

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AMUSEMENT NOTES

Ward & Vokes are doing a record breaking business this season.

Tickets for the coming benefit of Prof. Otto de Schoda are selling rapidly.

The matinee to be given by Field's minstrels next week will be a novelty.

Plates will be laid for five hundred at the coming celebration of Oak Castle, K. G. E.

There is a possibility that the Parish Priest now enjoying a big run at the Park theatre will be seen here next month.

The grand performance of Miss Moses' pupils, to be given at Music hall on the 22nd, will attract an immense audience.

Miss Ullie Akerstrom is one of the most popular young actresses that has ever visited Portsmouth. She will come here for one night next week.

Court Rockingham, A. O. F. of A., will give an entire week of amusement at Peirce hall commencing on the 19th, and they will meet with success.

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This office has been furnished with some excellent calendars from the firm of Clarence M. Edgerly of Manchester, one of the leading insurance agencies of the Queen city. They are of the kind that every office is glad to accept and are greatly appreciated.

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The Degree Flag will be displayed when degrees are to be conferred. Watch for it. All brother Odd Fellows not members of the Lodge are cordially invited to attend the Lodge meetings and are assured a cordial greeting.

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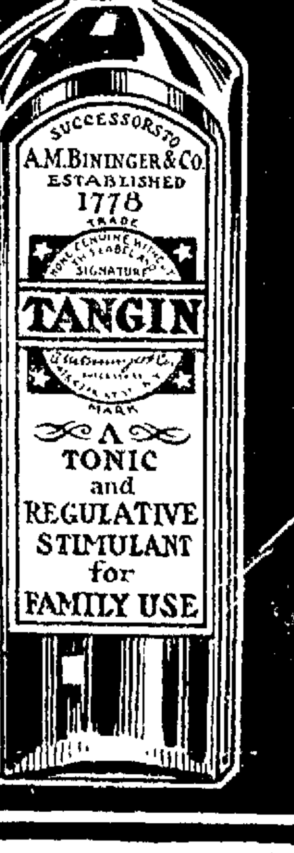

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"'I want to give a concert in Austin, Nev.,' she said.

"I almost fell out of my chair. 'It isn't possible,' I gasped.

"'I'll make it possible.'

"'The expense would be enormous. We could never stand it.'

"'I don't ask you to stand it. I will pay everything—any amount—only take me there. They say I am ashamed of them. I will show them.'

"Well, she got her way. I thought it was sheer lunacy. But Nevada was willing to pay the bills; so we went. We had to leave our private car several hundred miles from Austin and take common coaches on a narrow gauge road that climbed over the mountains and walked with its head down like a fly. About four or five stations before we struck Austin people began to board the train.

"'Did Emma come?' they'd ask the conductor, and he'd point out our crowd. They would go back and tell the people on the platform, and everybody would howl for Emma until Nevada would go out and talk to them and shake hands with everybody she didn't kiss. A good share of the crowd went to Austin with us, but it wasn't anything to the crowd that met us at the station. Everybody in the town and all the country round had turned out, and they were the queerest crowd I ever saw—miners and cowboys and Indians and ordinary conventional people, all shaken up together and all wild with excitement.

"By that time I was glad we had come. I was having the time of my life—at somebody else's expense. Talk about enthusiasm! I never knew what it was before, and I never heard anything like the shout that went up when that young woman stepped off the car. Everybody yelled her name and cheered and cheered, and she stood and threw kisses and laughed and cried. There wasn't any fake about it. I wouldn't have believed there could be so much genuine feeling anywhere in the world. It gave me, a well seasoned manager, a brand new thrill up and down my back.

"There was only one carriage in Austin then, and we had to drive quite a distance to the town. Nevada and I had the carriage, and the rest of the company went along in big wagons. Then came the crowd on horseback, in wagons and on foot. We drove along a ticklish mountain road at a gallop, and every little distance along the way there were bonfires burning. Say, it was great. Nevada didn't get any rest before evening. The crowd wanted her, and it would have her. She must have kissed all the children in Austin and a good percentage of the grown people, and, by Joe, she acted as if she liked it. I had thought I knew her, but she was a different woman up there in the mountains.

"We gave the concert in the church. The minister and I, with the assistance of the whole population, numbered the seats and made out tickets. Tickets sold at $2, but the house wouldn't begin to hold the crowd, and almost any old price was offered for seats. When the doors opened, there was a stampede. There were 50 men in the crowd to every woman. Most of them kept on big felt hats and wore their trousers tucked into high boots. They didn't pay any attention to the aisles—just walked over the high backed seats. I stood in the pulpit, and it was funny to see that mob playing leapfrog over the seats and making for front pews regardless of the numbers on their tickets.

"Nevada had some of her swellest clothes with her and came out blazing with jewels and wearing a Paris gown that had cost her $2,000. I never expect to hear anything again like the greeting they gave her, and I know she never again sang as she did that night. She sang and sang until her voice literally gave out, and the crowd saw that she couldn't keep it up any longer. Then they cheered and started for the stage in a bunch.

"Nevada spread out her hands and told them that if they'd wait until she went and put on a heavier, high necked gown she'd come back and kiss them all and give every one of them a piece of her wedding cake. She had just married Dr. Palmer, and she had packed a trunk full of wedding cake to take to Austin. She ran off to the dressing room and in a little while came back in a dark gown. We brought the cake in in big pans, and she fulfilled both her promises. The crowd was wild with delight and would have whooped it up all night if their Emma hadn't told them she was worn out.

"The next morning the whole town turned out to take us to the station, and though that was 15 years ago, I believe the mountains must be echoing yet with their 'Goodby, Emma!' Nevada said she wouldn't have missed that visit for all the money she would make that season, and it was, by long odds, the most entertaining experience I've had in my career as a manager."—New York Sun.

Not Wineglasses.

It was of a Maine prohibitionist that Chief Justice Fuller told this story: A prohibitionist went into a store and, upon being asked by the clerk if he wanted to see some wineglasses, replied indignantly, "No! I want to buy some unfermented grape juice glasses."

A Biblical Reason.

Jeweler—Why do you refer to watch cases without movements as faith?

Pious Clerk—Well, you see, they don't amount to very much without good works.—Jewelers' Weekly.

ONE OF GOUGH'S CLIMAXES.

A Peroration by Which He Thrilled His Hearers.

Many and many a day ago, on the then frontier line of the valley of the Minnesota, in the at that time beautiful village of Mankato, word went out that Gough had been engaged by the local lyceum bureau to lecture on temperance. Gough came. He was received by a committee of men who had fought Indians, swam rivers, spoiled the virgin forests, opened new soil, endured poverty, suffered hunger and never surrendered their belief in the right. They escorted him to the opera house and stage.

His speech was slow at first, gestures few, illustrations not many. The village topers were out in force and some more decent men for whom women were praying to give over the habit of drink. He told something of his own life, of the misery brought by drink, of the laws of self denial and self sacrifice. He was intense at all times, and this intensity bore down upon the listeners until he had made them one with himself. Even the small village boy, inclined to cat calls and gurgling whistles, was silent, and there came through the sepulchral hall no sound but the raw cry of the winter wind from outside.

He made some slight comment on the condition of a drunkard's family—the want which came upon them, the loss of self respect. He described the degradation of spirit which rested with the habitual drinker and how if that spirit was not destroyed mere signing of the pledge would not redeem. He pleaded for exercise of will power, more potent in effecting reform than all the drugs and medicines in the world. This was but developing the minds of his hearers for a climax.

Suddenly he swung one arm high in the air and shouted:

"A drunkard and his fall to the depths of everlasting hell is like the man who climbs to the top of St. Peter's in Rome. He is on the very summit of the great dome, the blue sky above and the world far, far beneath. He looks down from his perch and, having nothing to grasp, to hold to, grows dizzy.

"Everything is whirling now before him. His senses leave him. He is swooning. His feet slip. He is off the dome. He is in the air. He is falling—

"Down! Down! Down!

"To the earth beneath and the ruin of himself.

"Thus descends the drunkard—

"Down! Down! Down!

"To the fires of hell and the ruin of his soul!"

The whole exclamation was accompanied with such use of his right arm and body as to bring the fearful descent immediately to the eye of the mind.

A shudder ran over the audience. The sobs of women were heard. Men felt uncomfortable. Men and women are living today who still feel the power of that illustration, uttered by lips long since cold.—Chicago Times-Herald.

Reporters' Blunders.

With the charitable purpose of presenting a psychological explanation for the inaccuracy which all too often marks the work of perfectly honest reporters The Christian Register says: "When one is listening to a discourse, two things occupy his mind at the same time—the one, the discourse to which he is listening; the other, the train of thought suggested to him by the discourse. The second runs along in his mind parallel with the first and frequently is remembered and reported in place of the discourse, which is forgotten."

There is something, perhaps a good deal, in this theory, but however well it may serve as an explanation its utility as an excuse is of the smallest. The simplest way out of the difficulty is to lay the blame on Dame Nature, whose hostility to exact duplications of any kind is illustrated in every inch of her broad domain. No two men ever heard or saw a thing alike, and probably no two ever will. Reporters are no more fallible than other people; indeed, their accuracy is far above the average. They, however, have a thousand critics where other folks have one, and not one of the thousand ever passes over their errors of apprehension or expression in kindly silence.—New York Times.

Before and After.

Some years ago a young curate, seeking to be licensed, was bidden by Dr Temple, archbishop of Canterbury, to read a few verses of the Bible in order that his fitness for conducting public worship might be judged.

"Not loud enough," was the criticism of the bishop when the young man had finished.

"Oh, I'm sorry to hear that, my lord," replied the curate. "A lady in the church yesterday told me I could be heard most plainly all over."

"Ah! You are engaged?" suddenly asked Dr. Temple.

"Yes, my lord."

The bishop smiled grimly and said: "Now, listen to me, young man. While you are engaged don't believe everything the lady tells you; but," he added, with a deep chuckle, "after you are married believe every word she says."

English Soldier's Emergency Rations.

What are known as "emergency rations" are contained in little tin cases somewhere about the size of a small brandy flask. One-half the case contains four ounces of pemmican and the other half four ounces of cocoa paste. Every man in the field carries one of these in his haversack, and whatever happens to the regular commissariat he has got upon his back enough to live upon for 36 hours. The pemmican is lean meat, dried and ground to powder and compressed into a block and, like the cocoa paste, may be eaten as it is or dissolved in hot water. It comes into the depot in tierces of 1,000 pounds each, and every tierce is divided into 4,000 rations. It will keep almost indefinitely, so that wherever the British soldier goes on active service he is well provided.—London Chronicle.

Social Perplexities.

"It is rude for a guest to look at his watch."

"Yes?"

"And ruder for a host to look at the clock."

"Of course."

"Well, how do polite people ever get away from each other?"—Chicago Record.

An Extra Brand.

"Now, William, isn't this coffee as good as that your mother used to make?"

"It is better than that she made at home, Ellen—much better. But it isn't as good as that she used to make for church socials."—Indianapolis Journal.

USES OF OLD PAPER.

What Was Once a Loss Now the Basis of a Big Business.

A curious and interesting feature of the paper making industry was brought to the notice of an office manager a few days ago by a letter of inquiry. The inquiry was about accumulations of written matter no longer of use, but of such a private business nature as to necessitate careful disposal in order to prevent examination by outside parties—old account books, for instance.

Years ago large offices used at some expense to have such accumulations destroyed, usually by fire. But this was troublesome, for paper in compact form is slow to burn, and the destroying of books and stacks of paper tended to clog furnaces.

In course of time a paper manufacturer hit on the idea of taking such old papers to mill under assurances of privacy and chemically removing all traces of writing. Market price being allowed for the paper thus gathered, what was before merely a waste and a source of trouble besides became productive of a revenue worthy of consideration, and the plan grew in favor. At first houses would send employees with the stuff to the mills to be sure that no scattering occurred, but gradually this precaution came to be discontinued.

A large paper concern, with mills in Connecticut, has for years made a specialty of collecting such papers from bankers, insurance companies and large mercantile houses and shipping them directly to the mills, where by the use of strong chemicals all traces of writing are destroyed before the material is worked over into paper pulp. This feature of the economics of a great city's affairs has grown to great proportions, and sometimes single loads contain as much as 20 or 30 tons of paper, all marked with writing.

Incidentally the spread of contagion by this method is effectually prevented. When the writing has disappeared from the sheets, so have all vestiges of life.

The refuse collected aids in making different varieties of paper, and the careful sorting process that must be employed constitutes one of the chief items of expense in using this material. The stuff which comes from correspondence offices goes in part to make writing paper. The collections from newspaper headquarters, containing wood pulp, must be used for other purposes. All paper scrap is mixed with large proportions of fresh material in the manufacture of fresh white sheets.—New York Mail and Express.

HEALTH FROM COLD AIR.

Winter About the Best Stimulant People Can Have.

Many persons regard the winter season as an unfortunate visitation. It is considered both uncomfortable to the body and harmful to health. This is an error. Cold is a most potent agent for the restoration and preservation of normal activity on the part of the organs of the human body. It is a wise plan of providence which gives us a change of seasons. The winter cold comes as a tonic to repair the injuries done by the enervating heat of summer. Summer, it is true, has many wise uses in the matter of health. It induces outdoor life, rids the system of poisons through copious perspiration and through the scorching rays of sun destroys germ life.

Winter is the great bracer of the system. It stimulates activity in every organ. When cold attacks the surface of the body, the blood is set into more free circulation as a means of bodily warmth. It is through the circulation of the blood that the human anatomy is kept in a state of repair. When the food has been digested and converted into liquid form, it is taken up by the blood and carried the rounds of the system for the purpose of repairing the waste places. When the cold causes increased circulation, it also brings about more perfect nutrition.

Man's face and hands illustrate how weatherproof the body becomes when exposed to air. Continued activity in circulation on the surface, caused by the air coming in contact with the skin, tends to nourish and thicken the skin. Thus man's skin grows thicker in winter just as animals are supplied with a double coat of fur. The savages who dwell bareheaded in the open air are seldom, if ever, known to be afflicted with bald heads, while, with the civilian who shields his scalp from air, baldness is prevalent.

The Indians who, if not now, in former days roamed our western borders, practically without clothing to shelter their bodies, became, through long exposure, so inured to the cold that it gave them but little discomfort.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Peculiar Kind of Writers' Cramp.

"What's the matter, Brown? You're getting thin," said a successful writer of special stories for the Sunday newspapers to another "free lance," whose work is seldom accepted. "You look as if you had been working too hard." This was a lie, and the successful man knew it, but he could afford to flatter.

"Haven't written anything for a month," growled Brown. "I've got writers' cramp."

"Why don't you use a typewriter, then? I never heard that writers' cramp would make a man thin, anyway," exclaimed the prosperous man.

"The kind that I have does," replied Brown gloomily. "It's a poor writer's cramp in the stomach. The less you write the more it cramps you."—New York Tribune.

Identifying a Rare "Fossil."

The late Professor Marsh of Yale college, the eminent paleontologist, had a quiet wit. Once a facetious student brought him a bone scraped and cut in a fantastic fashion. The class knew of the plan to deceive the scientist.

"I think, professor, that this is a very rare fossil."

The doctor looked at the bone, then at the student, finally centering his gaze upon the latter's knee.

"It is not rare. It is painfully familiar to me. It is a piece of the leg bone of a calf!"—Saturday Evening Post.

Didn't Doubt Him.

"He says he would gladly lay the world at my feet," said the sentimental young woman.

"That's what he'll do," said Miss Cayenne. "After you're married he'll lay the world at your feet and compel you to walk on it because you can't afford a cab."—Washington Star.

A clever woman can always give a slow man the impression that he has said a lot of bright things himself.—Chicago Record.

When a man borrows trouble, imagination is the loan agent.—Detroit Journal.

LULLABY.

Hush! The waves come rolling in,
White with foam, white with foam.
Father toils amid the din,
But baby sleeps at home.

Hush! The winds roar hoarse and deep
As they come, as they come.
Brother hunts the lazy sheep,
But baby sleeps at home.

Hush! The rain sweeps o'er the knowes,
Where they roam, where they roam.
Sister goes to seek the cows,
But baby sleeps at home.

NO PUBLIC SMOKING.

When the Germans Were Not Allowed to Smoke on the Streets.

There are many old time Germans who remember how strictly the law against public smoking used to be enforced. That the law is dead is one of the fruits of the revolution of 1848. The Berliners were the first Germans to smoke in public. Courage to do so came to them during the memorable days when they dictated laws to their king, Frederick William IV, the present kaiser's granduncle. As that monarch, while standing on the balcony of the Berlin castle, was commanded by the revolutionists to uncover before their dead "the mob," says a contemporary chronicler, "heaped the additional indignity upon him of puffing huge pipes in his presence."

The citizens stuck to their pipes and cigars during the following months, when the police and military dared not interfere with them on trifling provocation. Afterward, when the tide had turned, an attempt was made to again enforce the law, but the people got so wrought up over the matter that the police dropped the persecutions. In March, 1849, the old law was repealed.

As it happened liberty to smoke everywhere except in church and in the theater was one of the few results of the revolution that have never been interfered with by subsequent government acts.

Before the revolution disobedience to the antismoking law was punishable by a fine of 1 thaler. If a German passed a sentry box or a royal palace pipe in mouth, he was mulcted 5 thalers. The smoking of cigars in public was deemed particularly offensive, and judges frequently imposed an extra thaler on the person guilty of smoking such an article. In Germany the cigar came to be considered "the correct thing" only after the introduction of matches. It was easier to light a cigar than a pipe by the newfangled agency; hence the cigar increased in popularity and became gradually recognized as the superior of the pipe in a "social way."

But "liberty to smoke" is not yet universal in Germany or elsewhere. In Berlin, Munich and other capitals, including Vienna, army officers and soldiers are forbidden to smoke in the principal streets through which members of the royal family are liable to drive. If in other streets they see a royal carriage approaching, they must throw away their cigars.—Newark Call.

Early Impressions.

Memory plays queer antics at times. As our ideas of things develop and make progress the relation to ourselves, as we were of a remembered place or incident, keeps pace with the advance. When we were in youth, we thought the house in which we lived in those days a veritable mansion and the yard was as large and commodious as a park now seems to us. Our memory keeps them thus, although we have long outgrown our little selves.

But when we again visit the haunts of the early years we find that the mansion has diminished to a cottage and the yard seems miserably small. We have outgrown them. There seems to be a self adjusting lens that, as we fare farther from the scenes and surroundings we once knew well, keeps magnifying them so that they are always the same to us.

And it must be so of incidents and people as well. Memory is kind and throws a mantle of softening mist over whatever comes into her realm. And when we go back and find the old neighborhood or see again our long remembered friends we must not put all the blame of changing upon them. It is we who have changed, perhaps far more than have they, only we do not stop to realize the fact.—Exchange.

Minutes and Seconds.

At least 25 centuries B. C. the Babylonians used a sexagesimal system of notation, consisting of sari and sossi, of which we have vestiges when we reckon 60 minutes to the hour and 60 seconds to the minute, or 3,600 seconds—that is, a saros of sossi—to the hour. That we count 12 inches to the foot, 24 hours to the day, 360 degrees of longitude around the equator, 90 degrees of latitude from the equator to the poles and 60 miles to a degree may also be traced to the same duodecimal Babylonian system of numeration, which originally reckoned 60 shekels to the mina and 60 minas to the talent. All these numbers are factors or multiples of the saros, or 60. Our measures of time, money, of linear and angular space, are all derived from the Greeks, who obtained them from the Babylonians, probably through the Phœnicians.

Shopgirl's Hard Lot.

Persons complain that shopgirls do not jump actively to wait upon them when they enter a store. Why not? The other day I saw a girl approach a respectably dressed woman of middle age—that's 35—and heard her ask, over the counter, "What would you like, ma'am?"

To this polite attention I was shocked to hear the woman reply: "You shut up! Don't you talk to me! I can ask for what I want, and I don't want any impudence from clerks!"

A few rebuffs from such creatures are quite enough to cool the ardor of any shopgirl.—New York Press.

The Fitness of Things.

"Yes, that's the bride."

"Very young, isn't she?"

"Nineteen, I believe."

"Who are those middled aged women with her?"

"Those are her unmarried sisters. She's chaperoning them."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Notes and Notes.

"Does your wife play by note?"

"Um-er-yes. The piano dealer holds mine for $500."—Colorado Springs Gazette.

The turkey was first discovered in America and was brought to England in the early part of the sixteenth century. Since then it has been acclimated in nearly all parts of the world.

Pernambuco means "the mouth of hell," in allusion to the violent surf always seen at the mouth of its chief river.

INDIAN VENGEANCE.

How the Navajoes Punished a Suspected Medicine Man.

A small band of Navajo Indians, the sole remnant of a once mighty tribe, have wandered for the last decade around what is known as Keams canyon, in Arizona. They are so insignificant in numbers and have hitherto borne such a reputation for peace that little attention is paid to them. There happened among them lately, however, a crime so terrible that, although the whites in the vicinity realized how hopeless all effort at reformation was, where Indian religion was concerned, all felt that something in retribution ought to be done.

Smallpox had raged among the band for some time, and almost half of them had died. Suddenly the leaders took it into their heads that their medicine man, who had lately quarreled with some of them, was responsible for the malady. With characteristic Indian promptitude they waited no time for consideration. The "spot sickness" was carrying off their babes and young men. The medicine man could alleviate it, but wouldn't. Therefore, kill him. They surrounded his tepee at night and, entering while he slept, bound him hand and foot and tied him to a tree. They then told him how he alone was responsible for the woe that had come among them and danced the dance of death for him in his presence. The rest of the tale is perhaps best told in the language of one of the witnesses.

"Then they told Bine Nimalgo how one by one he had slain the young men and the babies. And one by one, as they told him this, they broke the bones in him, broke them in short pieces, beginning with the little bones, and after that the great ones that do not break easily.

"He lived long, for he was a very strong man. The bad medicine made him strong.

"They took off his scalp, for he was an enemy. They cut off his ears. Where he has gone they will know him by these signs. I think they cut away his arms and legs. They danced the death dance and sang to him his bad deeds while they did these things.

"I do not know the names of the 12 that did this.

"When they were weary, they fired 12 bullets into the body. Each fired one bullet.

"Then they cut the thongs that held the body to the tree, and they put Bine into the hogan. His legs and arms and all the parts of his body they put in together. Then they set fire to the hogan, singing and dancing about, and it burned very fast. The fire ate up all the bad medicine. The ashes were clean."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

A Prayer Monopoly.

"The Chinese beat us to death in labor saving devices," said an amateur orientalist of this city. "I'm pretty well acquainted with an old laundryman here and frequently drop into his place to have a chat. The other day I noticed a queer little pad of rice paper sheets put together like a calendar and hung directly above his bunk. Each sheet was inscribed with numerous hieroglyphics, and I asked my host what the thing meant. He replied that it was a prayer book and went on to explain in pigeon English that he tore off a leaf every night before going to bed, so as to expose a fresh supplication for the ensuing day. Seeing that I was shocked, he assured me that the prayers were first class in every particular and were much better than he could compose himself.

"As nearly as I could gather, there is a sort of prayer trust in Peking that turns out the lithographed pads at extremely reasonable figures. They are protected by a native copyright, and if any other prayer foundry puts up the same brand the proprietors are clapped into jail. What d' y' think of that for a unique monopoly?"—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Pure Air Rather Than Medicine.

It is not drugs or medicine that is needed at all; it is plenty of the purest air that can be had. Open the windows and the doors, clear out the cellar and ventilate it thoroughly, remove the dampness, the mustiness, the ancient odor, the smell of decay which greets the nostrils when one enters from the health giving atmosphere out of doors.

Never mind if the outer air bears the taint of the gas works, the manufactory or some other unpleasant thing. It is also mingled with the health and strength giving forces of nature and is certainly better for the human system than the same air which has been shut up and contaminated for an indefinite period, with no chance for purification.

Don't mind even if a little dust is brought in. A few minutes with the duster will put the whole house in perfect order again, and, even at the worst, dust is not half so bad as disease. And, as for the fear of drafts, with colds and a thousand resultant evils following in their train, nineteen-twentieths of that is imaginary, and the other twentieth is easily avoidable.

Musical Criminals.

What is considered the finest band in the southern hemisphere is composed entirely of criminals. It is the convict band of Noumea, New Caledonia, Australasia. The kiosk in which the convicts play is in the Place des Cocotiers and is surrounded by cocoanut trees and flame trees, with their scarlet flowers, which give the place a gay appearance. The band, which is generally about 30 strong, is made up of first class convicts. The performances take place on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 8 p. m., under the supervision of armed warders, who march round and round the musicians. The music is classical. The performers are all clean shaven, except those who are to be shortly liberated, and are dressed in white trousers and jumpers and wide brimmed grass hats. The audience is generally quite small. When the programme is completed, the convicts are marshaled up in line by the warders and marched off.—London Sketch.

Faith Without Works.

Dismal Dawson—Lady, if you will gimme a nickle I will pray fer ye every day.

Lady—You needn't mind being so grateful as all that, but if you will do a day's work cleaning up the yard I will give you a dollar.

"Er—oh, 'scuse me. I see a feller down the street 'at I got some business with."—Indianapolis Journal.

In Harder Luck.

Visitor (at popular health resort)—Is it as hot as this every summer here?

Dejected Citizen—Yes, sir.

Visitor—If I had known it, I never would have come.

Dejected Citizen—Nuther would I, mister, but you kin git away f'm here, an I cain't.—Chicago Tribune.

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Winter Arrangement, Oct. 2, 1899.

Trains Leave Portsmouth

FOR BOSTON, 3.50, 7.20, 8.15, 10.53, a. m., 2.21, 5.00 7.28 p. m. Sundays 2.50, 8.00 a. m., 2.21, 5.00 p. m.

FOR PORTLAND, 9.55, 10.45 a. m., 2.45 8.50, 9.20 p. m. Sundays, 10.45 a. m., 8.55, p. m.

FOR OLD ORCHARD AND PORTLAND, 9.55 a. m., 2.45, 5.22 p. m. Sundays, 8.00, a. m.

FOR NORTH CONWAY, 9.55. a. m., 2.45 p. m.

FOR SOMERSWORTH, 4.50, 9.45, 9.55* a. m., 2.40, 2.45 5.36 p. m.

FOR ROCHESTER, 9.55 a. m., 2.40, 2.45 5.30 p. m.

FOR DOVER, 4.50, 9.45 a. m., 12.20, 2.40, 5.22, 8.52 p. m. Sundays, 8.00, 10.48 a. m., 8.57 p m.

FOR NORTH HAMPTON AND HAMPTON, 7.20, 8.15, 10.53 a. m., 5.00 p. m. Sundays 8.00 a. m., 5.00 p. m.

Trains for Portsmouth

LEAVE BOSTON, 7.30, 9.00, 10.10 a. m. 12.30, 3.30, 4.45, 7.00 7.45 p. m. Sundays, 4.30, 8.20, 9.00 a. m., 6.40 7.00, p. m.

LEAVE PORTLAND, 2.00, 9.00 a. m., 12.45 6.00 p. m Sundays, 2.00 a. m., 12.45 p. m.

LEAVE NORTH CONWAY, 7.25, a. m. 4.15 p. m.

LEAVE ROCHESTER, 7.19, 9.47 a. m., 3.50, 6.25 p. m. Sundays, 7.00 a. m.

LEAVE SOMERSWORTH, 6.35, 7.32, 10.01 a. m., 4.05, 6.38 p. m.

LEAVE DOVER, 6.50, 10.24 a. m. 1.40 4.30, 6.3?, 9.20 p. m. Sundays, 7.3 a. m., 9.25 p. m.

LEAVE HAMPTON, 9.22, 11.53 a. m 2.13, 4.59, 6.16 p. m. Sundays 8.26, 10.06 a. m., 8.09 p. m.

LEAVE NORTH HAMPTON, 9.28, 11.5 a. m., 2.19, 5.05, 6.21 p. m. Sundays, 6.30, 10.12 a. m., 8.15 p. m.

LEAVE GREENLAND, 9.35 a. m. 12.05 2.25, 5.11, 6.27 p. m. Sundays 8.35, 10.18 a. m., 8.20 p. m.

SOUTHERN DIVISION.

PORTSMOUTH BRANCH.

Trains leave the following stations for Manchester, Concord and intermediate stations:—

Portsmouth, 8.30 a. m., 12.45 5.25 p. m
Greenland Village 8.39 a. m. 12.54, 5.33 p. m.
Rockingham Junction, 9.07 a. m. 1.07* 5.55 p. m.
Epping, 9.22 a. m., 1.21, 6.08 p. m.
Raymond, 9.32 a. m., 1.32, 6.18 p. m.

Returning leave
Concord, 7.45, 10.25 a. m., 3.30 p. m.
Manchester, 8.30, 11.10 a. m., 4.24 p. m.
Raymond, 9.10, 11.48 a. m., 5.02 p. m.
Epping, 9.22 a. m., 12.00 m., 5.15 p. m.
Rockingham Junction, 9.47 a. m., 12.17 5.53 p. m.
Greenland Village, 10.01 a. m., 12.29, 6.06 p. m.

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☞Information given, through tickets sold and baggage checked to all points at the station.☜

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GOVERNMENT FERRY

TIME TABLE.

Leave Navy yard—8:00*, 8:20, 8:40, 9:15, 10:0 11:45 p. m. 1:45, 2:05, 3:00, 4:30 4:45, 5:15, 7:30 p. m. (Wednesdays and Saturdays,) Sundays, 9:0 10:45, 10:15 a. m., 12:10, 12:30 p. m. Holidays 10:40, 10:30, 11:30 a. m.

Leave Portsmouth—8:10*, 8:30, 8:50, 9: 1:00 a. m., 12:15, 1:55, 3:15, 3:30, 4:20, 5:00, 6: 6:00 p m., (Wednesdays and Saturdays,) 9 days, 9:05, 10:00 a. m., 12:00 m., 12:30 12:45 p. Holidays, 10:00, 11:00 a. m., 12:00 m.

*From May until October.

Portsmouth, Kittery and York Street Railway

WINTER TIME TABLE.

In Effect November 26, 1899.

Until further notice cars will run as follows:

Ferry leaves P. K. & Y. landing, Portsmouth for Kittery, Kittery Point and Sea Point—6 50, 7 20, 7 50, 8 20, 8 50, 9 20, 9 50, 10 20, 10 50, 11 20, 11 50 a. m.; 12 20, 12 50, 1 20, 1 50, 2 20, 2 50, 3 20, 3 50, 4 20, 4 50, 5 20, 5 50, 6 20, 6 50, 7 20, 7 50, 8 20, 8 50, 9 20, 9 50, 10 50 p. m.

For York Corner, York Village, York Harbor and York Beach—6 50, 8 20, 9 50, 11 20 a. m.; 12 50, 2 20, 3 50, 5 20, 6 50, 8 20, 9 50 p. m.

Car leaves York Beach for Portsmouth 5 45, 6 45, 8 15, 9 45, 11 15 a. m.; 12 45, 2 15, 2 45, 5 15, 6 45, 8 15, 9 45, p. m.

Ferry plies between Portsmouth and Badger's island, making close connection with the electric cars.

Sunday time same as on week days except that the first boat leaves Ferry Landing, Portsmouth, at 7 30 a m, and York Beach at 7 30 a m.

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Sale will include eleven cows, including two new milch cows, two good work horses, about twelve tons of first class hay, about forty tons of ensilage, one horse-power ensilage cutter, one corn planter, one Democrat wagon, one farm wagon, one driving sleigh, one Travers runner pung, one double sleigh, heavy, one hay rake, one mowing machine, one harrow, one cultivator, one horse hoe and numerous other articles.

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THURSDAY, FEB. 8, 1900.

CITY BRIEFS

Oat races tomorrow.

The Galley Slave tonight.

A number of cutters have been laid off at the shoe factory within a few days.

The members of Company F will present a bayonet drill at their coming military ball.

A continuance of this beautiful weather will bring out all the spring poets uncommonly early.

Business at the Morley factory has been unusually steady all winter and the spring prospects are excellent.

None of the Boston theatres seem to have a bill this week that appeals very strongly to Portsmouth playgoers.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. A. M. Lang, Austin street.

The two new vestibule cars that recently arrived for the electric railway are as modern as can be found on any road in the country.

Mr. Frank Keene, driver for the Globe Grocery Co., fell down eighteen steps at Dodge's boarding house at Kittery Foreside, Wednesday, the 7th inst., receiving a bad shaking up.

OBITUARY.

Miss Mary Edith Wentworth.

Miss Mary Edith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elias P. Wentworth of Greenland, died at her home in that town on Wednesday evening, the 7th inst.

Robert Neal.

Robert Neal, one of Newcastle's best citizens, died at his home in that town this morning, after a short illness of pneumonia, at the age of seventy years. Mr. Neal was a life long citizen of the town and was recognized as honest, charitable and a good neighbor. There is great regret among the people there at his death. He was active and industrious and attended to whatever he had to do with remarkable vigor for a man of his age. He is survived by a sister, Mrs. Stacey Hall of this city and one son, Charles W. Neal, who is employed at the Portsmouth steam laundry.

BOWLING.

The game in the city league, Wednesday evening, was between the Maplewoods and Knights of Columbus. A good crowd saw the following totals made:

MAPLEWOODS.

Clark, H.	73	69	78	220
Lane	84	79	67	230
Clark, C.	80	89	88	257
Whitehouse, L.	74	74	88	236
Wilson	112	69	84	265
	423	380	405	1208

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.

Kirvan, G.	83	81	96	260
Kirvan, J. H.	87	76	79	242
Moynahan	89	77	81	247
Kirvan, R. M.	76	69	96	241
Lyons	87	83	68	238
	422	386	420	1228

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SIXTH ANNIVERSARY.

The members of Addie F. Burkitt Council, Daughters of Liberty, are making extensive preparations for the celebration of their sixth anniversary, which occurs on Tuesday evening next. The Dover Daughters will be their guests on that occasion and a fine entertainment will be given, preceded by a turkey supper.

IN THRIVING SHAPE.

Knights of Columbus of the State Are Flourishing Well.

Tuesday's state convention of the Knights of Columbus in New Hampshire, held at the home of Manchester council, and covering some five or six hours, was the most largely attended and the most successful council in the history of the order in New Hampshire. The reports presented showed the order to be in a truly flourishing condition. Dr. James Sullivan, the energetic head of the society in New Hampshire, was paid the high honor of an endorsement of his good work in the shape of a unanimous re election. The Rev. Father Delaney, state chaplain, was similarly honored.

The full new board of officers is as follows:

State chaplain, Rev. John B. Delaney, Manchester; state deputy supreme knight, Dr. James Sullivan, Manchester; state treasurer, Hon. John H. Field, Nashua; state secretary, F. A. Fagan, Portsmouth; warden, John J. Lee, Manchester; advocate, James A. Broderick, Manchester; chancellor, J. J. Healy, Laconia; state auditor, James B. Crowley, Nashua.

The convention was made up of the grand knight and the past grand knight of each of the five councils, Concord, Laconia, Nashua, Portsmouth and Manchester. All were in attendance. It was one of the duties of the state convention to chose the state council, which is composed of the officers above named. The new council will serve for one year.

The deputy supreme knight has named as his new district deputies, David E. Murphy of Concord, William T. Morrissey of Portsmouth and James B. Crowley of Nashua, State Deputy Sullivan and Past State Deputy Glancy being ex officio delegates to the national convention at New Haven in March, 1901. Dennis J. Donovan of Concord and William J. Kelley of Portsmouth were elected alternates.

The retiring state secretary, Mr. Morrissey of Portsmouth, and the retiring state treasurer, Fred J. Sexton of Concord, presented very satisfactory reports and, like the other members of the retiring board, were given the thanks of the convention.

Father Delaney presented a report showing what is being accomplished with the Mission fund and State Deputy Sullivan's first annual report was listened to with marked attention.

CARPENTER MARKHAM DEAD.

Had Been Ill at the Naval Hospital Here For the Past Week.

Chief Carpenter Benjamin F. Markham, U. S. N., who has been stationed at this navy yard for the past two months, died very suddenly at the naval hospital this morning. His age was fifty years and four months.

He was one of the best known carpenters in the navy and was a native of Portsmouth, Va., where he has a son residing. He had been ill about a week and his death will cause great regret among all those who knew him. He was popular with his official associates and was skilled in his work. The remains will be taken to Virginia for interment. He was appointed from Virginia.

POLICE COURT.

Three Persons Arraigned Before Judge Emery For Drunkenness.

Three persons were arraigned in police court this forenoon for drunkenness. Judge Emery presided.

Mary Armstrong was found guilty and ordered to pay a fine of $3 and costs of $6.90. She appealed and was held in $100.

Peter Hoyne, who was arrested on Jewell's court by Officer Kelley, was also given a fine of $3 and costs, $6.90.

John Dumphy was arraigned and pleaded not guilty to the complaint. As Officers McCaffery and Anderson, who made the arrest, were not present the case was continued until 3 in the afternoon.

UNFOUNDED RUMOR.

There was a report here this morning that the steam Turret Chief had been disabled on her trip from the British Provinces with coal for the Boston and Maine railroad. It is not known for a certainty that the Turret will return to this port, but may go to England. The story originated from a letter written by one of the crew who shipped from this city.

INITIATION TONIGHT.

At Odd Fellows hall, this Thursday evening, the degree team of Osgood lodge, No. 48, I. O. O. F., will confer the initiatory upon two candidates in amplified form. At the close of the lodge a banquet will be served complimentary to the new initiates. All Odd Fellows are cordially invited to be present.

BEACHAM'S PILLS for Stomach and Liver Ills.

CITY BRIEFS.

Washington's birthday is only two weeks off.

Regular meeting of the city council's this evening.

Only one snow storm of any account so far this season.

In one family in this city there exists five cases of measels.

The singing and dancing at Music hall this week is giving entire satisfaction.

The indications point to the largest audience of the week at Music hall tonight.

Conner, photographer studio, (formerly Nickerson's,) No. 1 Congress street.

The "S. G" Londres is made of the choicest stock and is the best ten cent cigar in the market.

The Corse Payton Southern Stock company is doing a record breaking business at Music hall.

The costumes worn by Miss Hamilton in the plays at Music hall this week are the finest ever worn in repertoire.

Rubber heels become very popular and John G. Mott is fitting out the local public with an excellent article

Several of the flyers were on the North pond on Wednesday afternoon, preparing for the oat race on Friday afternoon.

More buildings are being erected at York Harbor the present winter than for several years. Most of them are costly ones.

The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held on Friday afternoon at three o'clock in the parlor of the Y. M. C. A. building.

Two strange females, whose home address might have been Dover, were conspicuous objects on Congress street on Wednesday afternoon.

Visitors are daily seen at the navy yard inspecting the work on the new dry dock and marveling at the enormous task that the contractors have on their hands.

Manager McCauley of the Corse Payton company does not permit any detail in the production of his list of plays being slighted and this accounts for the big crowds.

Large numbers of people were in the city on Wednesday, the 7th inst., from York Beach. They report the ice crop as being cut and housed for the summer hotels and boarding houses.

Many members of the local Pythian Sisterhood accompanied the out-of town visitors to the passenger station on Wednesday afternoon, the 8th inst., and cheered as the trains pulled out of the depot.

The Ladies' Social circle connected with the Universalist church will give one of their favorite suppers in the vestry of the church this evening and the public is cordially invited to be present.

A very pleasant whist party was held by Star Lodge of Odd Ladies in Red Men's hall on Wednesday evening, the 7th inst., and the time was passed very pleasantly. There was a large number of the members present.

Mr. Joseph Bridges, the well-known real estate agent of York Harbor, was in the city on Wednesday, the 7th inst., and reports that the outlook for the coming season to be the most promising in the history of York Harbor.

A young lad had a narrow escape from serious injury at Christian Shore on Wednesday. He coasted beneath the heels of a passing horse and but for the coolness and prompt work of the driver would have been trampled beneath the hoofs of the frightened equine.

Frequent colds and thaws necessitates the running all night of the snow plow of the local electric road. In many places the rails are covered with water during the day and after the cars cease running at night it would freeze solid unless kept free by the snow plow.

A lady met with a bad fall on Market square, on Wednesday afternoon, the 7th inst. She tripped and fell in front of the First National bank and was assisted to her feet by a couple of navy yard workmen who happened along. It was some time before she could continue on her way.

"Holy Smoke," ejaculated a Boston drummer as he swept down Vaughan street, Wednesday morning, and gazed wonderingly at the gas flames that poured from holes in the frozen earth, where employes of the gas company were trying to locate a leaky pipe, "but this must be a warm village."

The boys' brigade connected with the Young Men's Christian association held its weekly meeting on Wednesday evening the 7th inst., with only one boy of its large membership absent. Physical drill was conducted by Mr. Robertson, and Mr. Fogg had charge of the military drill. At the close the boys organized three basket ball teams. The senior team has H. L. Muchmore for captain and manager, number two G. R. Brown and number three E. C. Knight.

VETERANS ARE UNITED.

Storer Post and the Union Veterans' Union Will Meet Together.

Storer Post, No. 1, G. A. R., and Gen. Gilman Marston Command, Union Veterans' Union, will meet together for the proper observance of Memorial day this year and these two bodies of the country's defenders will march side by side to honor the memory of their comrades, as they did in preserving the union in the dark days of '61.

The regular meeting of Storer Post was held on Daniel street and the committee on joint celebration, appointed at the last regular meeting, reported favorably on the idea. There was a large attendance of the members.

At the next meeting the committee on the programme for the observance of the day will be appointed, to act with a like committee from the Union Veterans' Union.

THE OCTOROON STRONGLY PRESENTED.

The Corse Payton company presented The Octoroon at Music hall, Wednesday evening, and appeared to better advantage in it than at any previous performance of the week. The play offers plenty of chances for strong character delineations, which were effectively employed.

John W. Barry's work in the part of Wahnotte, the Indian, is particularly deserving of extended comment. It was well worth the price of admission to parquet or gallery. Harry Hatfield's conception of the role of Salem Scudder, the New England Yankee with the camera, was also very clever. Both made a hit.

There are several unusually effective scenes in the play, which have to be handled with proper discrimination or fall flat. Not many repertoire companies attempt The Octoroon, or, if they do, put it on in such a half-hearted manner that the sincerity is entirely lacking and consequently the effect is minimized to almost nothing. Not so with the Payton company. These people are honest in their efforts, and, as a natural result, The Octoroon, in their hands, becomes an excellent evening's entertainment.

Whoever would find fault with the production of this play, on Wednesday evening, at popular prices, is either merely venting his spleen or wants the whole theatre world for ten cents. The five acts were well staged and the people in the cast were appropriately dressed. The specialties satisfied.

DOCTOR'S WARM RECEPTION.

The Doctor's Warm Reception is a farcical comedy, with a familiar story, and in it Miss Akerstrom plays the part of a German servant in a way that keeps the house laughing with her every entrance and exit. In the character she is continually committing some ludicrous blunder, and her awkard efforts to obey orders and help out her master and mistress prove very funny.

The play tells the story of the adventures of a young doctor, who is not a doctor at all in reality, but is compelled to practice by the devices of his mother-in-law, who does not approve of the idle life which he intends to live. The rush of patients brings all kinds of trouble upon the household, and the farce is lively and brisk. Charles Bronson, in the part of the mother-in-law's victim, is Miss Akerstrom's principal support, and Victor Harvey, Frank Christie, Flora Stanford, May Florence, Tilda Perkins and Amelie Baird are prominent in the cast.

At Music hall, Wednesday, February 14.

SMOKER AT PISCATAQUA CLUB.

The rooms of the Piscataqua club were the scene of a very enjoyable party on Wednesday evening, the 7th inst. The members gave a smoke talk and entertainment to their numerous friends who crowded the rooms to their utmost capacity.

The entertainment, which was finely rendered, consisted of vocal selections by Messrs. Freeman Caswell, Patrick Sullivan, Joseph O'Leary, Cornelius Buckley and T. J. Stewart; club swinging by Emery Grenier and piano selections by Alexander Bilbruck.

After the entertainment, cigars were passed around and an enjoyable smoke talk was participated in by the members and their guests. Then a supper was served. The party broke up at a late hour, and pronounced the club members jolly entertainers.

The club room is to be painted and refitted next week, and no more comfortable quarters will be found than those of this enterprising and successful organization.

WARNER WHIST SERIES.

Drake and Tucker do not lead in the Warner whist tournament, as has been reported, but Mathes and Dunbar now hold the palm and have for some time. These two teams come together at the close of the series, which will probably settle the question of first place.

PERSONALS

Robert Neal of Newcastle is critically ill.

Col. Charles P. Berry was in Boston on Wednesday.

Jesse Wilson passed Wednesday night in Exeter.

J. Howard Dodge was in Dover yesterday on business.

Thomas Flanagan of Lowell, Mass., is visiting his family in this city.

C. I. Smart of Durham is the guest of Mrs. Elizabeth Stevens, State street.

Mrs. Joseph H. Gardiner is seriously ill, much to the regret of her many friends.

Mr. C. E. Sturges, agent for the famous Ward & Vokes company, was here today.

Supt. W. S. Bennett of the Morley Button factory went to Boston Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Julian F. Trask of Laconia, was here today, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Tilton.

John Kennard is running as baggage master on the Portsmouth & Dover railroad, during the absence of Baggage master John Small.

Mrs. F. M. Langley, who has been passing a week with friends and relatives, returned to her home in Wellington, Mass., on Tuesday.

Mrs. Frank P. Fiske, Mrs. Stephen W. Atwood and Mrs. Mattie Holt of Epping, were here on Wednesday, the 7th inst., in attendance upon the school of instruction of the Pythian Sisterhood.

Mr. C. Edwin Tilton will give a private party to several of his friends and near relatives at his home on Wibird street this evening, as a farewell gathering before he leaves for the Philippines, tomorrow.

At an "At Home" given by Miss Elsie Daniels Fairbanks, of Manchester, N. H., to Wellesley's Daughters, Miss Helen Pickering teacher in the Manchester High school and a daughter of Gee Pickering, Esq., spoke on "Wellesley as I Knew It."

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